



AMENDMENT

Application #	10/695,145
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First Inventor	GOULD
Art Unit	1641
Examiner	Yu, Melanie J.
Docket #	P08139US00/BAS

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In response to the Final Rejection dated November 17, 2005, and in conjunction with the RCE filed herewith, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in **Attachment A**.

Remarks to this Amendment are provided herewith in **Attachment B**.

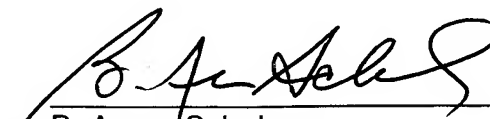
For reasons as stated herein in the attached Remarks, and as discussed in the recent interview with the Examiner and Supervisor, the present amendments place this case in condition for allowance, and such action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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